



Curtis Garfield Ragsdale, Sr

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Curtis Ragsdale, Sr, 91 of Albemarle, passed away Thursday, June 22, 2023 in Woodhaven Court, Albemarle, NC. His funeral service will be held at 2 PM on Saturday, June 24, 2023 in the Stanly Funeral and Cremation Care Chapel of Albemarle with Pastor Ben Floyd officiating. Burial will follow in Fairview Memorial Park with both Military Honors and Masonic Graveside Rite by Stanly Lodge #348 A. F. and A. M. The family will receive friends on Saturday at Stanly Funeral and Cremation Care from 1 until 2 PM prior to the funeral service.

Mr. Ragsdale was born February 21, 1932, to the late Tero Wesley Ragsdale and Gurtha Faulkner Ragsdale. He graduated in 1950 from Albemarle High School and from Kings College in 1958 with a degree in Business Administration. Curtis was a Veteran of the United States Navy, serving from 1950-1958, as a 2nd Class Petty Officer and he served in the Korean Conflict. He retired from Metal Forge in Albemarle. Mr. Ragsdale was a member of Main Street United Methodist Church since 1978.

Curtis served on the Albemarle Zoning Board of Adjustments from 1968-1975 and on the Albemarle Planning and Zoning Board from 2012-2016. He was a past Secretary and President of the Civitans in Albemarle. Mr. Ragsdale was a 50-year Shriner and served as Secretary and President and was named Shriner of the Year in 1966. He was a member of Stanly Lodge #348 A. F. & A. M. for 50 years and was a 32nd degree Mason. Curtis developed Wesley Heights subdivision and he loved the Atlanta Braves, North Carolina Tarheels, Carolina Panthers and the Washington Redskins. Mr. Ragsdale is survived by his wife of over 60 years, Jo Anne Ward Ragsdale, sons Curtis G. Ragsdale Jr. and wife Staci of Albemarle and Christopher T. Ragsdale and wife Lisa of Sylva, NC, and 2 grandchildren Brandon Ragsdale and wife Alexis of Albemarle and Madison Ragsdale of Albemarle.



Events


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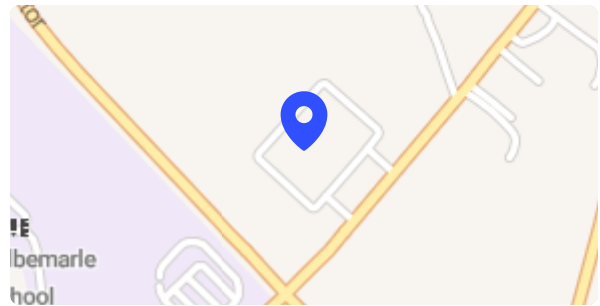
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Visitation

 **Saturday**, June 24, 2023

 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM ET


 **Stanly Funeral & Cremation Care - Albemarle**
1835 Badin Rd, Albemarle NC 28001

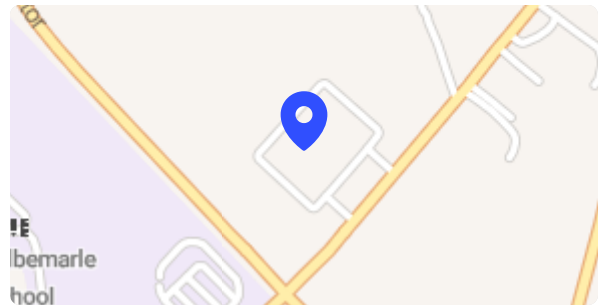


Funeral Service

 **Saturday**, June 24, 2023

 2:00 PM ET

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Burial

 **Saturday**, June 24, 2023

 **Fairview Memorial Park**
NC

Cemetery Details

 **Fairview Memorial Park**
NC



Tribute Wall

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Tommy Taylor posted:

Jo Anne, Curtis, and Chris, I'm sorry for your loss. I always enjoyed talking to him through the years! I didn't know that he was a vet.

June 27 at 1:44 AM



Csrol Shank posted:

Joann and family, I am really sorry for your loss. I guess I have known Curtis most of my life. We attended South Albemarle Baptist Church in our growing up years..Later he married Joann. Curtis was a great friend.I am so sorry for your family and his friends at South Albemarle.

June 24 at 7:50 AM



John And Merlin Amirtharaj sent a virtual gift in honor of Curtis.

Curt always had his jokes. He was very active with Methodist Men at Main Street . Our thoughts and prayers are with your family.

June 23 at 3:43 PM



Anonymous sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Ragsdale, family.

June 23 at 6:49 AM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful Dreams to the Ragsdale, family.

June 23 at 6:29 AM



David And Sarah Fisher lit a candle in honor of Curtis.

Our deepest condolences and prayers for the family. Curtis was a great person and friend and a pleasure to talk to as well.

June 23 at 6:20 AM





Tribute Wall

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Cindy Dry posted:

Curt Ragsdale, the 'self-proclaimed' Mayor of Wesley Heights will truly be missed. His big smile, quick wit and silly jokes will be missed by all who knew him. Our thoughts and prayers are with his 'beautiful' Joanne, and his precious family, all of which he was so very proud of. Rest in peace dear friend. Benton & Cindy Dry

June 23 at 5:33 AM



Anonymous sent an Arrive in Style to the Ragsdale, family.



June 22 at 3:56 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Curtis by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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